

House Resolution No. 3223

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives are delighted to recognize an organization which has long been a vital component of the Gladstone community; and

Whereas, Boy Scout Troop 180 in the Heart of America Council (formerly the Kansas City Area Council), Boy Scouts of America, is observing its Fiftieth Anniversary of remarkable success; and

Whereas, under the guidance of Father Maurice F. Wogan and William J. Spiegelhalter, Cub Scout Pack 180 and Boy Scout Troop 180 were chartered in the Boy Scouts of America in 1955 in the Kansas City Area Council at St. Charles Borromeo Parish in Gladstone; and

Whereas, Troop 180 has honored two hundred twenty Eagle Scouts since its formation fifty years ago and has for many years taken part in Tribe of Mic-O-Say and Order of the Arrow activities as well as various summer camp activities at H. Roe Bartle Scout Reservation in Osceola, Missouri; and

Whereas, Troop 180 has prepared its members for leadership roles in American society by offering them the opportunity to gain self-confidence and self-esteem through lessons learned while serving in a variety of responsible positions; and

Whereas, for the past fifty years, Troop 180 has taken part in Order of the Arrow Service projects, Scouting for Food, and Memorial Day Good Turn activities, and has nurtured the positive development of its young members by focusing on various other programs and activities designed to strengthen character and physical fitness in accordance with the "Aims of Scouting":

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join with the Gladstone community in applauding Boy Scout Troop 180, its adult staff members, and its youth at this significant milestone, and in wishing them continued success in meeting the many diverse challenges of the future; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Boy Scout Troop 180.

Offered by _____
Representative Jerry Nolte
District No. 33

Representative Ryan Silvey
District No. 38

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 3223, adopted May 11, 2005.

Rod Jetton, Speaker